# Prime Time News 2016

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## **SENIOR CENTER HOURS**

Monday - Wednesday 8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Thursday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

## **SENIOR CENTER STAFF**

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## Halloween hunt:

How many 'BATS' can you find in this issue? bring your answer to the Front Desk to claim your prize.

**Happy Halloween!** 

**WORKSHOPS:** Please note that all workshops are free, but space is limited and <u>pre-registration is required</u>. To reserve a seat, call the Senior Center at (650) 903-6330 or visit the front desk.

#### **Rebuilding Together**

A workshop will be provided by Rebuilding Together Peninsula staff to discuss their free home repair program for homeowners. Learn about their mission, the application process and what to expect from the program. There will be time for questions and answers. If you are interested, applications will be provided and assistance provided in completing your application.

Tuesday, October 4 Social Hall, 1:00 p.m.

## **Quick and Healthy Meals and Snacks**

Preparing snacks and meals shouldn't be difficult. Come learn tips for making meals and snacks that are both healthy and can be prepared quickly! Incentives and prizes

Thursday, October 6 Social Hall, 1:00 p.m.

included!

## **CalMediConnect**

The Cal MediConnect is a government funded health plan. It is an all in one health plan that covers medical, prescription drugs (medicines), long-term services and support to serve people that are eligible for both Medicare and Medi-Cal.

Tuesday, October 11 Social Hall, 1:00 English, 2:00 Chinese

#### **Shopping Online**

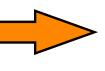
Is there anything you can't buy on the internet? Find out by joining Monica to learn the ins and outs of shopping online. Learn how to search for products and complete purchases in this class. Space is limited, and basic computer skills are required.

Wednesday, October 19 Technology Room, 2:30 p.m.





MORE! Additional workshops and dates on "Page 2"



City of Mountain View, Community Services Department, Recreation Division 266 Escuela Ave., Mountain View, CA 94040 (650) 903-6330, www.mountainview.gov/seniors

## **NEWCOMERS' GROUP**

An orientation & tour of the Senior Center is scheduled for **Monday**, **October 17th at 2 p.m.** It includes a review of classes, upcoming events, social services & general information. Tour begins in the front lobby.

## **BOOKS FOR SALE**

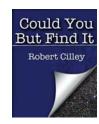
Donated paperback books are located in the front lobby in the middle stations and on the bookshelves in the far left corner of the lobby. These books are for sale for 10 cents each, payable at the front desk.

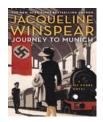
Maximum amount to be purchased at one



## **SENIOR CENTER BOOK CLUB**

Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month in Multipurpose B from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. October selection (10/11/16) is "Could You But Find It" by Robert Cilley. November selection will be "Journey to Munich" by Jacqueline Winspear.











Feeling LUCKY? Join us on **Monday, October 3, 1:00 p.m.** in the Social Hall.

**WORKSHOPS:** Please note that all workshops are free, but space is limited and <u>pre-registration is</u> required. To reserve a seat, call the Center at (650) 903-6330 or visit the front desk.

#### Are you good to go?

You want to plan ahead, but where do you even begin? Join Jen Harris from the Funeral Education Foundation as she gives you an impartial and informative overview of options for funeral planning. She will describe what the funeral society is all about, reasons to plan ahead, how to shop for a funeral, prepaying vs. preplanning, federal and state protection for consumers, how the funeral Society can help, and new trends in death care.

Thursday, October 20 Social Hall, 1:00 p.m.



#### Influenza

What is your best protection against the flu? A flu shot? Medicine? Rest? Learn what you should do this Fall to stay healthy and happy.

Tuesday, October 25 Social Hall, 1:00 p.m.



#### Maintaining a Healthy Brain

How do you maintain a healthy brain in your senior years? Gerontologist Elna Tymes will talk about the place of diet and physical exercise, as well as mental exercises and other activities that help keep your brain healthy and active. She'll also talk about the symptom differences between "normal aging" and dementia and Alzheimer's, and demonstrate the "peanut butter sniff test" that helps you identify Alzheimer's.

Thursday, October 27 Social Hall, 1:00 p.m.













## **FOOD SERVICES**

**BROWN BAG** - The Second Harvest Food Bank's Brown Bag pick-up and registration is every-other Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. Pre-registration is necessary. Applications may be picked up at the front desk. For more information or to participate in this program, please call 1-800-984-3663 or 408-266-8866.

CSA NUTRITION PROGRAM - Suggested donation for ages 60+ is \$3.00 & guests under 60 is \$8.00. Lunch is served Monday - Friday at 11:45 a.m., sign in by 11:15 a.m. More information can be found on pages 8 and 9. Sponsored by Community Services Agency partnering with Santa Clara County S.N.P. (650) 964-6586.





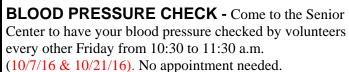


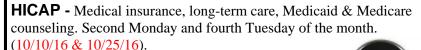


Appointments are necessary, unless otherwise noted. Call Mountain View Senior Center at (650) 903-6330 or visit the front desk for an appointment. There are NO waitlists for appointments.



**ALZHEIMER'S SCREENING - Free behavioral** screenings offered on the fourth Wednesday of each month (10/26/16). PLEASE NOTE: This is NOT a medical screening. only a behavioral analysis.





**NOTARY SERVICE -** Offered the second Thursday of the month (10/13/16). Appointments available from 8:30 - 10:30 a.m.







Need

a Notary?

## LEGAL SERVICES **SENIOR ADULT LEGAL ASSISTANCE (SALA) -**

The 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month (10/5/16 & 10/19/16) from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Clients must be 60+ years old and a Santa Clara County resident. Services provided by volunteer attorneys or paralegal personnel. Legal assistance provided for Social Security, Medicare, housing, landlord issues, power of attorney for health care, elder abuse, consumer problems, and simple wills. Due to the high demand for this service, all appointments must be confirmed by you before your appointment (the Friday before the appointment, at the latest), or the appointment will be given to another patron. Please call, email or stop by the front desk to confirm/cancel your appointment.



## CSA INFORMATION and **REFERRAL DAY:**

## **Emergency Assistance**

Community Services Agency's Senior Case Managers will be providing resources on rental/mortgage assistance, Lifeline and other emergency response devices, and crisis resources. From 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m., Senior Case Managers will be available to answer your questions. Make an appointment in person at the Senior Center Front Desk or call 650-903-6330.

Date: Tuesday, October 18th **Time:** 10 minute appointments are available between 10 a.m.-11 a.m. Where: Counseling Room



The Mountain View Senior Center sells donated paperback books for 10 cents. Good news and bad news. The good news is that we have sold almost every paperback book which has been donated. The bad news is that we have sold almost every paperback book which has been donated. If you have any paperback books which you would like to donate, please drop them off at the Front Desk at your earliest convenience.

Thank you in advance.



## Mountain View Seasoned Travelers

For travel information, registration and payment:

Monday - Friday at the front desk, 12:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

ADA request must be stated at the time of registration

## **CASINO TRIPS**

## **DAY TRIPS**

## **Black Oak Casino**

Tuolumne, CA

WHEN: Tuesday, November 8, 2016

COST: \$38 per person

DEPART: 8:00 a.m. from Rengstorff Park Pool

RETURN: Approximately 7:00 p.m.



## Fleet Week

WHEN: Saturday, October 8, 2016

COST: \$159 per person.

The Belle is a San Francisco landmark that evokes the city's turn-of-the-century Barbary Coast energy. The 292 foot sternwheeler features Art Nouveau style on

all three enclosed levels, plus a spacious sun deck and three full wrap around decks. Indulge in a hosted buffet lunch, as you sip on free-flowing champagne and enjoy background music. Then step onto the outer deck to watch the jaw-dropping precision of the famous San Francisco Fleet Week

Air Show! WAIT LIST ONLY



## Beach Blanket Babylon Holiday Show

WHEN: Saturday, December 3, 2016 COST: \$149 per person.

The longest running musical revue in theatre history. The delightfully entertaining musical spoof of pop culture featuring extravagant costumes. It's a great way to usher in the holidays and an excellent excuse to let loose and laugh. Enjoy an early dinner at Pompei's Grotto,

Fisherman's Warf.



## **EXTENDED STAY TRIPS**

Kanen Tours presents:

## **Arizona Spring Training Getaway**

Featuring 5 nights at 1 Hotel in Phoenix area

WHEN: Sunday, March 12, 2017

Major League Baseball Spring Training! Go see your favorite players as they get ready for the 2017 season. Highlights of the trip include a Phoenix City Tour, 2 spring training games, Hall of Flame Fire Museum, old town Scottsdale, Heard Museum of Native American Culture, Tucson area, Mission San Xavier, Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum, Sabino Canyon Rec area tram tour, and Old West farewell dinner. For more information, pick up a flyer at the front desk.







## **MOVIES MOVIES!**

Come to one of our triple showings! \*\*

Maximum seating for movies is 36. First come first serve Matinee showtimes: Tuesdays and Fridays at 1:00 p.m.

Evening showtime: Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m.

Location: Multipurpose Room B

All screenings have captions for the hard-of-hearing, when available on the DVD. There is no fee to enjoy these popular movies, and seating begins 30 minutes before the show.



|Brooklyn |Rated: PG-13 October 4, Oct 5 & Oct 7
Length: 111 minutes

After emigrating from Ireland, Eilis Lacey readily adapts to the vastly different New York City, where she falls for a young Italian. But when tragedy pulls her back to her hometown, she finds her loyalties divided between two nations -- and two men.

Starring: Saoirse Ronan, Domhnall Gleeson, Emory Cohen



The Big Short Rated: R

October 11, Oct 12 & Oct 14

Length: 130 minutes

Before the housing and credit bubble of 2007 triggers an international economic meltdown, a handful of financial outsiders sees the crash coming and bets against the big banks in a daring play that could reap them huge profits.

Starring: Christian Bale, Steve Carell, Ryan Gosling



5 Flights Up Rated: PG-13 October 18, Oct 19 & Oct 21

Length: 92 minutes

Married for four decades, New Yorkers Ruth and Alex have had a wonderful life together --most of it spent in their cherished Brooklyn walk-up. But now that it's time to sell, the universe seems determined to thwart them.

Starring: Michael Cristofer, Diane Keaton, Morgan Freeman



Steve Jobs Rated: R

**October 25, Oct 26 & Oct 28** 

Length: 123 minutes

Everyone knows about the products Steve Jobs designed, but few people really knew the man behind the technology. This revealing biopic focuses on a few key incidents and relationships to tell the story of a digital visionary who changed the world.

Starring: Michael Fassbender, Kate Winslet, Seth Rogen

\*\*NOTE: Please bundle up or bring a lap throw with you to the movie. The room is located on the north side of the building and temperatures tend to be a little on the cooler side.

## 10 year anniversary Wednesday, October 26th

Come join us in celebration and festivities on Wednesday, October 26th.

The Mountain View Senior Center is turning 10 years old.

The Mayor of Mountain View will stop by around 12:45pm.

Dance party will start at 4:00 p.m.





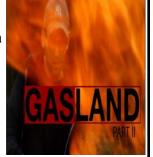
## **Conscious Raising for Global Good**

Come watch the latest documentary movie with the Mountain View Documentary Film Group which meets on the last Tuesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. You will watch thought provoking movies about issues of the day that might otherwise slip under our radar. It is imperative that we, as citizens, raise our awareness, keep informed, and speak out to preserve the public good.

## "Gasland 2"

A documentary that declares the gas industry's portrayal of natural gas as a clean and safe alternative to oil is a myth, and that fracked wells inevitably leak over time, contaminating water and air, hurting families, and endangering the earth's climate with the potent greenhouse gas methane.

Tuesday, October 25 Multipurpose B, 6:00 p.m.



# New Brown Bag Schedule



Second Harvest Food Bank is changing the frequency for delivery of Brown Bag. **Starting October 2016**, Second Harvest Food Bank will be at the Mountain View Senior Center on the **2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month**. Please make note of this new service schedule.

## Silicon Valley Independent Living Center (SVILC) Services Overview and Housing Search and **Assistance Workshop**

This two hour workshop will provide an overview of SVILC's services to the cross-disability community in Santa Clara County, and will focus on how SVILC can assist with housing search and assistance, and other services related to securing integrated, affordable, and accessible housing. Learn about the services the SVILC provides including what housing resources they have, if you qualify to become a member, and more! SVILC is a non-profit organization that provides services, free of charge, to those who qualify. There will be a workshop on the second Thursday of each month through December.

Thursday, October 13, 2016 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. **Social Hall** 



www.svilc.org





## AARP DRIVER SAFETY

**ONLINE** - Driver Safety program now available. Visit www.aarp.org for information & to sign up.

#### **REGULAR CLASS**

The Safety Program class (8 hours) Tuesdays 11/15 & 11/22, from 5:00 - 9:00 p.m. \$15 / AARP members \$20 / non-members

### REFRESHER COURSE

Tuesday, 12/13, from 4:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. \$15 / AARP members \$20 / non-members

To register for classes, come in or mail a check (see address below). Cash cannot be accepted. Date your check for the first day of the class.

Mail checks (payable to AARP): Mountain View Senior Center, P.O. Box 7540, Mountain View, CA 94039.

For insurance benefits, contact your insurance carrier.

## VOLUNTEER CORNER

August 2016

Receptionists Teaching **Social Services** 

Total 851.50 hours!!

#### Brown Bag 192.00 139.00 294.50 43.00 **Lunch Program** 183.00

## City Council Candidates Forum

Presented by the Senior Advisory Committee

Join us to meet fellow Mountain View residents running for City Council.

> Monday, October 24, 2016 1:30 p.m.

Mountain View Senior Center, Social Hall

The Senior Advisory Committee acts in an advisory role to the City Council regarding matters pertaining to broader senior issues. Meetings are held on the third Wednesday each month, 2pm-4pm at the MV Senior Center



## **APPLE Assistance**



Do you feel like your iPhone is smarter than you are? Do you have a million questions about how to make your iPad sing and dance like the kids do? Apple products can make your life easier and more enjoyable when they are used to their fullest capacity. Let Brian teach you how to use your iPhone, iPad and other Apple products so that you can text, surf the web, read and reply to email, watch movies, ESPN, funny YouTube videos and even call or Skype someone. Brian is available for 30 minute appointments on Thursdays

between 9:00am and 11:00am. Appointments are required. Contact the front desk



at 650.903.6330.



## **Thursday**

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9:00 Apple Assistance

10:00 Bookmobile

10:00 Closed Caption Movie

11:45 Lunch

Vegetarian-Chile relleno casserole w/ egg, cheese and mild green chili, whole grain tortilla, fresh cooked pinto beans, green salad w/ cabbage, tomatoes, cucumbers & radish, fruit

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8:30 Notary

9:00 Apple Assistance

10:00 Bookmobile

11:45 Lunch

Shredded pork w/ preserved vegetable, mushroom & dried bean curds, brown rice, broccoli & carrots, fruit

1:30 SVILC - Housing Search

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10:30 Blood Pressure Check

10:45 Dancing, Social Hall

11:45 Lunch

Baked tilapia, white rice, mixed veggies, apple celery slaw, oatmeal cookie, fruit

**Friday** 

1:00 Movie: Brooklyn

2:15 Square Dancing



BIRTHDA

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10:45 Dancing, Social Hall

11:45 Lunch

Beef stroganoff (beef) w/ egg noodles & mushrooms, Chef's choice veggies, green salad w/ tomatoes, fruit

1:00 Movie: The Big Short

2:15 Square Dancing

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9:00 Apple Assistance

10:00 Bookmobile

10:00 Closed Caption Movie

11:45 Lunch

B.B.Q. chicken, potato salad, California blend

veggies, fruit

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10:30 Blood Pressure Check

10:45 Dancing, Social Hall

11:45 Lunch

Baked seasoned pork chop, mashed sweet potatoes, broccoli salad, roll, fruit

**Birthdays** 

1:00 Movie: 5 Flights Up

2:15 Square Dancing

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10:45 Dancing, Social Hall

11:45 Lunch

Chicken cacciatore w/ marinara sauce, onions, green bell peppers, mushrooms & dice tomatoes, green salad, fruit, special dessert



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9:00 Apple Assistance

10:00 Bookmobile

10:00 Closed Caption Movie

11:45 Lunch

Vegetarian- Spinach enchilada w/ cheese, corn tortilla & mild green sauce, Spanish rice, shredded lettuce & cabbage w/ tomatoes & egg, fruit





**NUTRITION PROGRAM** - The suggested contribution is \$3.00 for people 60 years and over. The meal cost is \$8.00 for people under 60 years old. Lunch is served at 11:45 a.m. Recommended sign in time: 11:15 a.m. First come, first served.



= Meal contains more than 1000mg sodium

## **Happenings in the Social Hall**

## **Mondays**

Live music and dancing before lunch, 10:45-11:45

#### **Tuesdays**

Recorded music before lunch. Please bring a favorite music CD you would like played this day.

## Wednesdays

Drop-in Line Dance Class before lunch, 10:30-11:30

Bingo after lunch, 1:00-2:00

## Thursdays

Closed caption classic movie Start time: 10:00 a.m. Will play through lunchtime (If you have a favorite DVD movie with closed captions you would like to share, please bring in before Thursday).

## **Fridays**

Live music and dancing before lunch, 10:45-11:45



## Please Note:

Please join us for our annual
Halloween Costume Contest on
Friday October 28. Prizes will be
given to the funniest, scariest,
sexiest & most original costumes.
Costume Parade will begin
approximately 11:45.
Don't miss the fun!!



WELCOME to the "Back Page" of the Prime Time News! This page is your spot to connect to the community at the Senior Center, the City of Mountain View, and beyond!

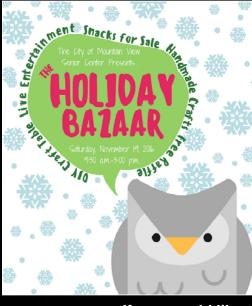




## Monster Bash

# Featured Movie: Hotel Transylvania 2

Come in costume! Celebrate Halloween with your family, friends and neighbors at the Mountain View Monster Bash! An outdoor movie will be featured along with Halloween games, music and light refreshments. FREE, FREE, FREE



# MARK YOUR CALENDAR!





Mark your calendars for the traditional Senior Center beginning of the holiday season: the Holiday Bazaar! Join us on Saturday, **November 19, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**, when the Senior Center will be transformed into a winter wonderland with over 45 handicraft tables, live entertainment, a free raffle, snacks for sale, a DIY ornament table, and more! Call 650-903-6330 for more information.



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